

(3) the chief law enforcement officer of the local municipal law enforcement agency if the person is employed at a campus of a school district, ~~or~~ open-enrollment charter school, or *public junior college* located within a municipality;

(4) the sheriff of the county if the person is employed at a campus of a school district, ~~or~~ open-enrollment charter school, or *public junior college* that is not located within a municipality; and

(5) the chief administrator of any peace officer commissioned under Section 37.081 or 51.203, Education Code, if the person is employed at a school district or *public junior college* that has commissioned a peace officer under *either* ~~that~~ section.

(1) All ~~Identifying~~ information ~~about a person~~ collected or submitted under this section is confidential, except as provided by Subsection (j), and is not subject to disclosure under Chapter 552, Government Code.

SECTION 4. Section 1701.001(8), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

(8) "School marshal" means a person employed and appointed by the board of trustees of a school district, ~~or~~ the governing body of an open-enrollment charter school, or the governing board of a *public junior college* under Article 2.127, Code of Criminal Procedure, and in accordance with and having the rights provided by Section 37.0811 or 51.220, Education Code.

SECTION 5. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed the Senate on April 9, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0; the Senate concurred in House amendment on May 28, 2015: Yeas 29, Nays 2; passed the House, with amendment, on May 22, 2015: Yeas 140, Nays 0, two present not voting.

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**USE OF SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS BY  
A LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO COME INTO COMPLIANCE  
WITH ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS OR REMEDIATE  
ENVIRONMENTAL HARM CAUSED BY THE LOCAL  
GOVERNMENT**

**CHAPTER 1145**

S.B. No. 394

**AN ACT**

**relating to the use of supplemental environmental projects by a local government to come into compliance with environmental laws or remediate environmental harm caused by the local government.**

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Sections 7.067(a-1) and (a-2), Water Code, are amended to read as follows:

(a-1) *For a respondent that is a local government, the* ~~The~~ *commission:*

(1) may approve a supplemental environmental project that is necessary to bring the ~~a~~ respondent into compliance with environmental laws or that is necessary to remediate environmental harm caused by the *local government's* ~~respondent's~~ alleged violation; and

(2) shall approve a supplemental environmental project described by Subdivision (1) if the local government:

(A) *has not previously committed a violation at the same site with the same underlying cause in the preceding five years, as documented in a commission order;* and

(B) *did not agree, before the date that the commission initiated the enforcement action, to perform the project* ~~[if the respondent is a local government]~~.

(a-2) The commission shall develop a policy to prevent regulated entities from systematically avoiding compliance through the use of supplemental environmental projects under *Subsection (a-1)(1)* ~~[Subsection (a-1)]~~, including a requirement for an assessment of:

- (1) the respondent's financial ability to pay administrative penalties;
- (2) the ability of the respondent to remediate the harm or come into compliance; and
- (3) the need for corrective action.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed the Senate on April 9, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 27, 2015: Yeas 144, Nays 0, two present not voting.

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**MINIMUM SCORES REQUIRED FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL  
STUDENTS TO RECEIVE CREDIT BY AN EXAMINATION  
ADMINISTERED THROUGH THE COLLEGE-LEVEL  
EXAMINATION PROGRAM**

**CHAPTER 1146**

S.B. No. 453

**AN ACT**

**relating to minimum scores required for public school students to receive credit by an examination administered through the College-Level Examination Program.**

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Section 28.023(c-1), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c-1) A school district shall give a student in grade level six or above credit for a subject if the student scores:

- (1) a three or higher on an advanced placement examination approved by the board of trustees under Subsection (a) and developed by the College Board; or
- (2) a scaled score of 50 ~~[60]~~ or higher on an examination approved by the board of trustees under Subsection (a) and administered through the College-Level Examination Program.

SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2015–2016 school year.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed the Senate on March 24, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 27, 2015: Yeas 140, Nays 4, two present not voting.

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